## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

PERMIT APPLICATION: NRS #05.402

APPLICANT: IRTEC, INC.

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**LOCATION**: Springfield Subdivision, City of Jacksboro

**Campbell** County

**WATERSHED DESCRIPTION:** The Dog Creek watershed consists of upland tributaries flowing through residential property. Land use is predominantly mixed residential and agriculture. The unnamed tributary is gravel bedrock bottomed approximately 2- 4 feet wide at the base with 3 foot banks. The existing vegetation along the stream channel is grass and narrow strips of mixed hardwoods. Antidegradation studies have determined that the affected stream is Tier 1.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The applicant proposes to relocate approximately 40 feet of stream channel and remove in stream debris to eliminate scour and prevent further erosion. The relocation will be designed with 2:1 slopes and seeded/stabilized upon completion. Additional stream bank restoration will occur along the channel to correct vertical eroding banks by eliminating in stream debris and reshaping slopes to 2:1 and seeding. No work would be done in flowing water. Standard erosion control devices would be used to prevent sediment from entering flowing water. Upon completion of the work, all disturbed areas would be stabilized.

**PERMIT COORDINATOR: Brian Canada,** STATE OF TENNESSEE, Department of Environment and Conservation Division of Water Pollution Control, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, L&C Annex, 401 Church Street, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1534

USGS TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLE: Jacksboro, TN (136-SW)

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:** The application described above has been submitted for an Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit pursuant to *The Tennessee Water Quality Control Act of 1977*, T.C.A. §69-3-108.

The purpose of this notice is to advise all concerned of the proposal for which a permit is sought, and to solicit comments and information necessary to evaluate the probable impact of the activities upon the respective water resources. The decision whether to issue or deny will in part be based upon that evaluation. All factors that may be relevant to the proposals will be considered.

Persons wishing to comment on or object to the issuance of a proposed permit are invited to submit comments in writing to the Department of Environment and Conservation Division of Water Pollution Control at the address listed above. Written statements received in this office on or before the date of expiration of the comment period thirty days from the publication date of this notice will become part of the record and will be considered in the determination. The applicant's name and permit number should be referenced.

Interested persons may also request in writing that the director of the Division hold a public hearing on any application. The request must be filed within the comment period and must indicate the interest of the person requesting it, and the reasons that the hearing is warranted.

When there is sufficient public interest, the director shall hold a hearing in accordance with Rule 1200-4-7-.04(4)(f).

After consideration of comments submitted during the public comment period, the hearing record if any, and the requirements of federal and State law, the director of the Division will make determinations regarding the final action on each permit. Permit applications, supporting documentation, and related comments are available for review and/or copying.